



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Billing-Medel et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/841,894 ) Group Art Unit: 1634  
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For: Reagents and Methods Useful for )  
Detecting Diseases of the Prostate )

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed on March 25, 2003.